

Roosevelt Community Meeting 2-12-2018

Meeting Start: 1:00pm

Meeting End: 2:00pm

7 residents attended

County: Supervisor Tim Humphrey, Tammie Loya, Undersheriff Mike Johnson and Sgt. Virgil Dodd

Gila County:

- Supervisor Humphrey gives introductions.
- He gives residents hand-outs on upcoming events and copies of the minutes from last meeting.
- He talks about homeless assistance programs throughout Gila County and gives residents hand-outs on those programs.
- Supervisor Humphrey talks about the Arizona@Work breakfast and who is involved with that in the community, and the businesses that look to gain employment and apprenticeship programs for the youth.
- He reminds residents of the dry conditions and fire dangers in the area.
- He talks about the letter from Rep. David Cook regarding HURF funds for public road maintenance in rural counties.
- Supervisor Humphrey gives a report on the hearing for Jennifer King and what the judgment was on that violation.
- He lets the residents know that he will be in Washington D.C. the first week of March and will be attending a conference for rural areas and their supervisors. And hopes he will have good things to report back.
- Supervisor Humphrey asks residents if they have any road concerns, and they commented on the resort road and its current condition.

Kathleen Tucker - U.S. Army Corps of Engineers:

- Kathleen discusses Section 404 – Discharge of waters, creeks and lakes and what that means to the residents.
- She reminds residents that permits are needed for work or movement of dirt in creeks.
- Kathleen lets the residents know that she is the regulator for the county and reminds them to call her if permits are needed. She gives the residents her business card.

Arizona Game and Fish Department:

- Danielle Klass introduces herself as the Wildlife Manager for Region III.
- She lets the residents know of rabies outbreak in the area and what to do if they encounter an animal that looks or acts suspicious.
- She tells the residents that there is a javelina hunt going on now in the area. Turkey hunts are coming up in March and April.
- Danielle reports for 2017 they built 515 structures in the lake for fish habitat.
- She talks about revisions on game cameras that might be coming up soon and how that will affect the use of cameras on wildlife.
- Residents have complaints regarding javelina. Danielle gives helpful ways to keep javelina away from their homes and the danger of approaching the animals especially if they have babies.
- Danielle lets residents know that drones are illegal in the aid of hunting.

Sheriff's Office:

- Sgt. Virgil Dodd gives the residents a report on number of calls from the Roosevelt area and what types of calls were made to the Sheriff's Office.
- He talks about the Copper Basin Drug Coalition Walk for Hope on March 3rd for Drug Awareness. The walk starts at Gila County Courthouse at 10am and ends at the City of Globe Park, also food and entertainment will be at the park following the walk.

Open Discussion:

- Supervisor Humphrey gives an update on the cell tower by the church. And will try and find out more information on what cell companies are involved with that.
- Residents have concerns about abandon cars in their neighborhoods. Sgt. Dodd urges residents to call the Sheriff's Office with those concerns and explains what qualifies as an abandon vehicle.
- Pete Phillips with PHI gives the residents fliers regarding the program and answers questions. He informs the residents that there were 27 flights out of the local post office last year.

Next Meeting March 6 at 1pm